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1659.

A New Almanack and Prognostication,
serving for the years of our Lord
God and Saviour Jesus Christ, 1659.
Being the third years after the Bissextile
or Leap-year.

Wherein is contained a double Kalender
viz. the *Julian* or English Accompt, and
the *Gregorian* and Forraigne Computation,
with the Change of the Moone, her
Full and Quarters, and time of
the Eclipses: and other ne-
cessary observations, conve-
nient to be need.

Calculated, and exactly rectified, for
the Elevation of the Pole Articke, and
Meridian of the ancient and famous City
of *Norwich*, and may serve generally
for the most part of great
BRITAIN.

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The Contents of this double Kalender for this ye
of our Lord God 1659. being the third af-
ter the Bissextile or Leap-year, according
to the Accompt and Computation
of the Church of ENGLAND.

The Prime or Golden Number,

The Circle of the Sun.

The Epact.

The Roman Indiction.

The Dominicall Letter

The space between Christmas and Shrove Sunday,
Weeks, and 1 day.

Shrove Sunday.

Easter day.

Ascension day.

Whitsunday.

Advent Sunday.

Febru.

April.

May.

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November.

Between Trinity and Advent, are Sundayes 25.

Between Easter and Ascension, are 5 weeks & 3 dayes.

Between Whitsunday & Midsummer is 3 weeks & 3 dayes.

Between Midsum. & Barth. is 2 weeks and 4 dayes.

Between Barthol. & All-Saints, is 9 weeks & 5 dayes.

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February

Aprill

May

June

Novemb.

The space between Christmas and Shrove Sunday,
2 weeks and 4 dayes.

Between Trinity & Advent, are Sundayes

A briefe and necessary Computation of yeares.

From the Creation of the world to this present	5606
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Since Alexander the great dyed	1983
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The Anatomy of Mans Body, as the parts thereof are governed by the twelve Cœlestiall Signes of the Zodiacke.

♈ Aries, Head and face.

♉ Taurus,
Neck and
shoulders.
♊ Cancer,
Breast, Stomack,
and ribs.
♋ Virgo,
Bowels and
Belly.
♌ Scorpio,
Secret members
♍ Capricorn,
The knees.



♎ Gemini,
Armes and
shoulders.
♏ Leo,
Heart and
back.
♐ Libra,
Knees and
Thighes.
♑ Sagittarius,
The Thighes
♒ Aquarius,
The Legs.

♓ Pisces, The feet.

The Characters of the Signs, Planets and Aspects.

♈ Aries, ♉ Taurus, ♊ Gemini, ♋ Cancer, ♌ Leo,
♍ Virgo, ♎ Libra, ♏ Scorpio, ♐ Sagittarius, ♑ Capri-
cornus, ♒ Aquarius, ♓ Pisces, ♄ Saturne, ♃ Jupit-
er, ♀ Mars, ☉ Sol, ♀ Venus, ☿ Mercury, ☾ Luna, ☿ Con-
junction, ✱ Sextile, ☐ Quarrile, ☐ Trine, ☿ Opposi-
tion, ♈ Caput Draconis, ♏ Cauda Draconis,

January hath xxxi dayes.

If thou be sick and help wouldst have,
The counsell of the Learned crave:
If thou have health, to keepe thee so,
Flie idleneſſe as deadly foe.

1	a	New year day.	Leo.	24	11	d	
2	b	Oct. of Ste.	Virgo	7	12	e	
3	c	Oct. of Joh.	Virgo	20	13	f	
4	d	Oct. of Jun.	Libra	3	14	g	
5	e	Simon.	Libra	16	15	a	Last quarter the
6	f	Twelfth day.	Scor.	0	16	b	6 day, 34 min.
7	g	Felix.	Scor.	14	17	c	aft. 5 of the clock
8	a	Ancian.	Scor.	28	18	d	in the forenoon.
9	b	1 Sun. aft. Ep.	Sagit.	13	19	e	
10	c	Sol in Aqu.	Sagit.	27	20	f	New moone the
11	d	Wed. come in	Capit.	12	21	g	12 day, 14 min.
12	e	Archad. Pa.	Capit.	27	22	a	aft. 8 of the clock
13	f	Willary Bt.	Aquar.	12	23	b	at night.
14	g	Felix	Aqua.	26	24	c	
15	a	Barthol.	Pisces	10	25	d	
16	b	2 Sun. aft. Epi.	Pisces	23	26	e	
17	c	Anthony	Aries	6	27	f	First quar. the 20
18	d	Paula Vir.	Ari.	19	28	g	day, 50 min. after
19	e	Molton	Taur.	1	29	a	5 of the clocke in
20	f	Oct. of Hil.	Taur.	13	30	b	the forenoon.
21	g	Agnes.	Taur.	25	31	c	
22	a	Vincent.	Gem.	7	1	d	February. 1659
23	b	3 Sun. aft. Ep.	Gem.	19	2	e	Febr. of Mary
24	c	Forse beg.	Cancer	0	3	f	
25	d	Cont. of Pa.	Cancer	13	4	g	
26	e	Polycar. B.	Canc.	25	5	a	Full Moone the
27	f	Quind. Willa.	Leo	7	6	b	18 day about 9
28	g	Agnes let.	Leo	20	7	c	of the clock in
29	a	Valerius Bt.	Vir.	3	8	d	the forenoon.
30	b	Septu. ges.	Vir.	16	9	e	
31	c	Delgunda.	Libra	0	10	f	

February hath xxviii dayes.

Be choice of food in any wile,
To keepe thee warm also precise :
Beware no Surgeon let thee blood,
Except the learned thinke it good.

1	D	Bridget Vir.	Libra	13	11	G	
2	E	Fun. in Lent.	Libra	27	12	A	
3	F	Cress Purif.	Scorpio	11	13	b	Last quarter the
4	G	Julian Ma.	Scorp.	25	14	c	4 day, 30 min.
5	A	Nicoz Mar.	Sagit.	9	15	d	aft. 1 of the clock
6	B	Saxagefi	Sagit.	23	16	e	in the afternoon
7	C	Perpetuus	Capric.	7	17	f	
8	D	Fun. in Lent.	Capr.	22	18	g	New moone the
9	E	Spollon.	Aquar.	6	19	A	11 day, 13 min.
10	F	Stab. Purif.	Aquar.	20	20	b	aft 9 of the clock
11	G	Nutrition	Pisces	4	21	c	in the morning.
12	A	Fun. in Lent.	Pisces	18	22	d	
13	B	Shrove Sun.	Aries	1	23	e	Shrove Sunday.
14	C	Valentine.	Aries	14	24	f	Mathias Apost.
15	D	Faustine.	Aries	27	25	g	First quarter the
16	E	Thwednesday	Taurus	9	26	A	9 day, 6 min.
17	F	Gertrud Vir.	Taurus	21	27	b	aft. 3 of the clock
18	G	Concord	Gem.	3	28	c	in the morning.
19	A	Sabine.	Gem.	15	29	d	March. 1659.
20	B	Fun. in Lent.	Gemin.	27	30	e	
21	C	Wed. goe out.	Cancer	8	31	f	
22	D	Cathed. Per.	Cancr.	2	4	g	
23	E	Ember week	Leo	3	5	A	
24	F	Fun. in Lent.	Leo	15	6	b	Full moon the
25	G	Loeus Bist.	Leo	27	7	c	26 day, 7 min. at
26	A	Alexander	Vir.	12	8	d	12 at night.
27	B	Fun. in Lent.	Virgo	25	9	e	
28	C	Osvalde	Libra	7	10	f	

March hath xxxi dayes.

Now Bleed and Bathe if thou desire,
And Purge also, if need require :
Ill humours doe in many breed,
Provide in time before thou need.

1	D	David. Bish.	Libra	23	11	G	
2	E	Chad bish.	Scorp.	7	12	A	
3	F	Eusebius.	Scor.	21	13	B	
4	G	Dorian.	Sagit.	6	14	C	
5	A	Victor.	Sagit.	20	15	D	
6	B	3 sun. in Lent.	Capp.	4	16	E	
7	C	Perpetuus.	Capp.	18	17	F	
8	D	Cyprian.	Aquar.	2	18	G	
9	E	11 Mart.	Aquar.	16	19	A	
10	F	sol in Aries	Aqua.	29	20	B	
11	G	Quirion.	Pisces	13	21	C	
12	A	Gregory Bi.	Pisces	26	22	D	
13	B	4 Sun. in Lent.	Briss	9	23	E	
14	C		ari.	22	24	F	
15	D	Peter Mart.	Taurus	5	25	G	
16	E	Longine	Taur.	17	26	A	
17	F	Crislack.	Taur.	29	27	B	
18	G	Patrick Bi.	Gem.	11	28	C	
19	A	Gabriel.	Gem.	23	29	D	
20	B	Joseph.	Cancer	4	30	E	
21	C	5 sun. in Lent.	Cancer	16	31	F	
22	D	Affrodassus	Canc.	28	1	G	
23	E	Theodore.	Leo	11	2	A	
24	F	Agapite vir.	Leo	23	3	B	
25	G	Annun. of Ma.	Virgo	6	4	C	
26	A	Caloz Ma.	Virgo	20	5	D	
27	B	Palm Sunday.	Libra	4	6	E	
28	C	Dorothe vir.	Libra.	18	7	F	
29	D	Eustactus.	Scorp.	2	8	G	
30	E	Antoine.	Scorpio	17	9	A	
31	F	Adelme bish.	Sagit.	2	10	B	

Last quarter the
5 day about 9 of
the clock at night

New Moone the
12 day, 12 min.
after 10 of the
clock at night.

Annun. of Mary.

First quarter the
20 day. 21 min.
after 11 of the
clock at night.

April. 1659.

Full moone the
28 day, 36 min.
af. 10 of the clock
in the forenoon.

Aprill hath xxx dayes.

Now wholesome Bathes thou mayest frequent,
 Let blood also, and not repent:
 These be good meanes, thee to defend
 From griefes, the which on thee attend.

1	g	Theodoze.	Sagitt.	16	11	e	
2	a	Mary Egip.	Capric.	0	12	d	
3	13	Easter day.	Capr.	15	13	c	
4	c	Ambrose	Capr.	29	14	f	Last quarter the
5	d	Martin.	Squar.	12	15	g	4 day, 46 min
6	e	Sextus Ma.	Squar.	26	16	a	aft. 3 of the clock
7	f	Egeppus.	Virgo	9	17	b	in the morning
8	g	Dionysius.	Pisc.	22	18	c	
9	a	Perpetuus	Bries	5	19	d	
10	15	Sol in Lam.	Bries	18	20	c	New Moone the
11	c	Med come in.	Canr.	1	21	f	11 day, 35 min.
12	d	Iulius.	Canr.	13	22	g	after high noon
13	e	Iustine	Canr.	25	23	a	
14	f	Tiburt. Mar.	Semin.	7	24	b	
15	g	Olump.	Sem.	19	25	c	Mar. Evang.
16	a	Theodoze W.	Cancer	1	26	d	
17	16	Will. Dom	Can.	13	27	c	First quarter the
18	c	Quind Pasc.	Canc.	25	28	f	19 day, 46 min.
19	d	Alphago.	Leo	7	29	g	aft. 4 of the clock
20	e	Timotheus.	Leo	19	30	a	after noon.
21	f	Simeon.	Virgo	1	1	b	May. 1659
22	g	Bother.	Virgo	15	2	c	
23	a	S. George.	Virgo	28	3	d	
24	17	Ties Paich.	Libra	12	4	c	
25	c	Marke Evng.	Libra	26	5	f	Full moon the
26	d	Clere With.	Scorpio	11	6	g	26 day, near
27	e	Anastatius.	Scorp.	26	7	a	of the clocke at
28	f	Alcalis.	Sagitt.	11	8	b	night.
29	g	Peter of M	Sagitt.	26	9	c	
30	a	Erkenwald.	Capr.	10	10	d	

May hath xxxi dayes.

Rise early now this month of May,
And walke the fields that be so gay:
From surfetting see thou refraine,
For soone it will procure thy paine.

1	B	Phil. & Jac.	Cap.	2	11	F	
2	C	Tris Pasch.	Aqua.	9	12	F	Last quarter the
3	D	Inven. Cross.	Aquat.	23	13	G	3 day, 49 minut.
4	E	Flozian.	Pisc.	8	14	A	after 10 of the
5	F	Goddard.	Pisc.	19	15	B	clocke in the
6	G	Job Port Lar.	Aries	2	16	C	forenoon.
7	A	John of Be.	Aries	15	17	D	New Moone the
8	B	Regation	Aries	27	18	E	11 day, 45 min.
9	C	Quin. Pasch.	Taur.	10	19	F	aft. 3 of the clock
10	D	Wed. go out.	Taurus	22	20	G	in the morning.
11	E	Solin Gen.	Gem.	5	21	A	
12	F	Ascen. day.	Gem.	16	22	B	Ascen. day.
13	G	Tras. Asc.	Gem.	27	23	C	
14	A	Irish br.	Cancer	9	24	D	
15	B	Crandia.	Canc.	21	25	E	First quarter the
16	C	Same ends.	Leo	3	26	F	19 day, 47 min.
17	D	Yedocus.	Leo	15	27	G	aft. 6 of the clock
18	E	Danstan.	Leo	27	28	A	in the morning.
19	F	Bernard	Vir.	0	29	B	
20	G	Hellen Qu.	Vir.	23	30	C	
21	A	Jultan mar.	Lib.	6	31	D	
22	B	Whitunday.	Lib. &	20	1	E	June. 1659
23	C	Deadering	Scor.	4	2	F	
24	D	Idelm.	Scorp.	19	3	G	Full Moone the
25	E	Ember week	Scor.	4	4	A	16 day, 31 min
26	F	Weds pz. B.	Scor.	19	5	B	aft. 3 of the clock
27	G	German.	Capz.	4	6	C	in the morning.
28	A	Cozen mar.	Capz.	16	7	D	
29	B	Trinity ten.	Scor.	4	8	E	Trin. Sunday.
30	C	Wed. com. in.	Scor.	19	9	F	
31	D	St. Michael	Pisc.	2	10	G	

June hath xxx dayes.

Drinke new or sweet, taste not at all,
For thereby growes no danger small:
And to thy selfe such pastime take,
As may in God thee merry make.

1	e	Nichomede:	Pisces	16	11	a	Last quarter the
2	f	Corpus Do.	Pisc.	29	12	b	1 day, 25 min.
3	g	Terme beg.	Aries	12	13	c	aft. 7 of the clock
4	a	Petrochi.	Aries	24	14	d	at night.
5	b	1 sun. aft. Tri.	Taur.	7	15	e	
6	c	Ma. Trin	Taur.	19	16	f	
7	d	Tran of Wool.	Gem.	1	17	g	
8	e	Richard	Gem.	12	18	a	New moon the
9	f	Trans. Edm	Gem.	24	19	b	day, 18 min. after
10	g		Cancer	6	20	c	7 of the clocke at
11	a	Sol in Canc.	Cancer	18	21	d	night.
12	b	2 sun. aft. Tri.	Leo	0	22	e	
13	c	Quind. Tri.	Leo	12	23	f	
14	d	Valerius	Leo	24	24	g	John Baptist.
15	e	Alitus	Virgo	7	25	a	First quarter the
16	f	Bolland.	Vir.	19	26	b	17 day, 49 min
17	g	Wotaph.	Libra	2	27	c	after 5 of the
18	a	Craperius.	Lib.	15	28	d	clock in the mor-
19	b	3 sun. aft. Tri.	Libra	29	29	e	ning.
20	c	Tres Trin.	Scor.	13	30	f	
21	d	Januar. B.	Scor.	28	1	g	July. 1659.
22	e	Terme ends.	Sagit.	12	2	a	
23	f	Audyle	Sagit.	28	3	b	
24	g	Ma. 1570	Capr.	13	4	c	Full moone the
25	a	Appar. of M.	Capr.	28	5	d	24 day, 26 min.
26	b	4 sun. aft. Tri.	Aquar.	13	6	e	att. 10 of the
27	c	7 Sleepers	Aqua.	27	7	f	clock in the fore-
28	d	Leo Bish.	Pisces	12	8	g	noon.
29	e	Peter & Paul.	Pisc	25	9	a	
30	f	Con. of Pa.	Ari.	8	10	b	

July hath xxxi dayes.

Perfume thy house with savours sweet,
But such as are for purpose meet :
Abroad as thou in streets dost goe,
Defend thy selfe from Rinkes also.

1	g	Do. of John.	Aries	21	11	e	Last quarter the
2	a	Uil. of War.	Taurus	4	12	d	1 day, 44 min.
3	o	5 lun. aft. Tri.	Carr.	16	13	e	aft. 6 of the clock
4	e	Ulricus	Carr.	28	14	f	in the morning.
5	d	Joe Mir.	Gem.	9	15	g	New moone the
6	e	Doa Petr.	Gem.	21	16	a	9 day, 20 min.
7	f	Barth. Con.	Cancer	3	17	b	after 10 of the
8	g	Chillian.	Cancer	15	18	c	clock in the fore-
9	a	Cyrell bish.	Canc.	27	19	d	noon.
10	e	6 lun. aft. Trin.	Leo	9	20	e	First quarter the
11	c	Benedict	Leo	21	21	f	17 day, 27 min.
12	d	Ab. & Felix	Virgo	4	22	g	aft. 2 of the clock
13	e	Pol in Leo.	Virgo	16	23	a	in the morning.
14	f	Rebell.	Vir.	29	24	b	James Apostle.
15	g	Swithen.	Libz.	12	25	c	
16	a	Grant of M.	Lib.	25	26	d	
17	e	7 lun. aft. Tri.	Scorp.	9	27	e	Full moone the
18	c	Roſina	Scorp.	23	28	f	23 day, 34 min.
19	d	Dog d. beg.	Sagit.	7	29	g	aft. 5 of the clock
20	e	Margaret.	Sagit.	21	30	a	in the afternoon
21	f	Spax. bis	Capit.	6	31	b	
22	g	Mary Mag.	Capit.	21	1	c	August. 1659.
23	a	Spolme.	Aquar.	6	2	d	
24	e	8 lun. aft. T. i.	Aquar.	21	3	e	
25	c	James Apol.	Pisc.	6	4	f	
26	d	Do. Mo. M.	Pisc.	20	5	g	Last quarter the
27	e	Martha.	Aries	4	6	a	20 day, about 9
28	f	Sampton.	Aries	17	7	b	of the clocke at
29	g	Beatix	Aries	29	8	c	night.
30	a	Abdon & Se.	Taurus	12	9	d	
31	e	9 lun. aft. Tri.	Carr.	24	10	e	

August hath xxii daies.

As burning heat will thee destroy,
So shivering cold will thee annoy:
Let little sleepe thee now content,
Purge not, nor bleed, lest thou repent;

1	c	Lammis day	Gem.	6	11	f	
2	d	Steph. Bl.	Gem.	18	12	g	
3	e	Inden.	Can.	0	13	a	New Moone the
4	f	Br. Archum.	Can.	11	14	b	8 day, 13 min.
5	g	Osvalde	Cancer	23	15	c	before one of the
6	a	Sixtus	Leo	5	16	d	clock in the mor-
7	b	10 sun. aft. Tri.	Leo	18	17	e	ning.
8	c	Cyriacke	Virgo	0	18	f	First quarter the
9	d	Roman mar.	Virgo	13	19	g	15 day, 35 min.
10	e	Lorenzo.	Vir.	26	20	a	after 9 of the
11	f	Tiburt.	Libra	9	21	b	clocke in the
12	g	Clare vir.	Lib.	22	22	c	forenoon.
13	a	Sol in Virgo.	Scorp.	6	23	d	
14	b	11 sun. aft. Tr.	Scor.	19	24	e	Sol. Sol. Apol.
15	c	Alamp. ma.	Sag.	3	25	f	
16	d	Roch. cor.	Sagit.	17	26	g	
17	e	Oda. Lawp.	Capr.	11	27	a	Full Moone the
18	f	Helena.	Capr.	16	28	b	22 day, 7 min. af-
19	g	Sebaldbz	Aquar.	0	29	c	ter of the clock in
20	a	Barnard Ca.	Aqua.	15	30	d	the morning.
21	b	12 sun. af. Tri.	Aquar.	29	31	e	
22	c	Timothy	Pisc.	14	1	f	Septemb. 1659
23	d	Zacheus.	Pisces	28	2	g	
24	e	13 sun. aft. Tri.	Aries	12	3	a	
25	f	Lodowicus.	Aries	25	4	b	
26	g	Seppherine.	Taur.	8	5	c	
27	a	14 sun. aft. Tri.	Taurus	20	6	d	Last quarter the
28	b	John behead.	Gem.	2	7	e	29 day, 20 min.
29	c	Felix & John	Gem.	14	8	f	after 3 of the clock
30	d	Pan. tuz	Gem.	26	9	g	in the afternoon.
31	e		Can.	8	10	a	

September hath xxx dayes.

Raw fruit though ripe, may sicknesse bring,
Unripe much eaten, a dangerous thing:
If now a Surfer thou dost take,
When others sleep, then thou must wake.

1	f	Giles Abbot.	Cancer	19	11	b	
2	g	Ruth, mar.	Leo	2	12	c	New moone the
3	a	Gregorie.	Leo	14	13	d	6 day, about 2
4	b	14 sun. aft. Tr.	Leo	26	14	e	of the clocke in
5	c	Magnus.	Virgo	9	15	f	the afternoon.
6	d	Magnus	Virgo	22	16	g	First quarter the
7	e	Pat. D. Eli.	Libra	5	17	a	13 day, 53 min.
8	f	Pat. of Pa.	Libra	19	18	b	aft. 3 of the clock
9	g	Goigon.	Scorpio	2	19	c	in the afternoon.
10	a	St. Vicker	Scor.	16	20	d	
11	b	15 sun. aft. Tr.	Sagit.	0	21	e	Mar. Apo.
12	c	Maximinius	Sagit.	14	22	f	
13	d	Sol in Libra.	Sagit.	28	23	g	
14	e	Exalt.	Capr.	12	24	a	
15	f	Nicodemus	Capr.	26	25	b	
16	g	Euphemis	Aqua.	10	26	c	Full moone the
17	a	Lambert.	Aqua.	22	27	d	10 day, 53 min.
18	b	16 sun. aft. Tri.	Pisces	9	28	e	aft. high noon.
19	c	Tannar.	Pist.	23	29	f	
20	d	Ember week.	Bries	6	30	g	
21	e	Math. Apo.	Bries	20	1	a	October. 1659
22	f	Maurice m.	Tarr.	3	2	b	
23	g	Eloza.	Tarr.	16	3	c	
24	a	Samuel.	Tarr.	28	4	d	
25	b	17 sun. aft. Tr.	Gem.	10	5	e	Last quarter the
26	c	Cyprian	Gem.	2	6	f	18 day, 15 min.
27	d	Cosm. Dam	Canc.	4	7	g	aft. 9 of the clock
28	e	Crisperius.	Cancer	16	8	a	in the morning.
29	f	Michael Arch.	Can.	28	9	b	
30	g	Barome.	Leo	10	10	c	

October hath xxxi dayes.

Warne clothes must now provided bee,
 Also warme meates be good for thee:
 Have good regard thy feet be dry,
 Thou shalt avoid much harme thereby.

1	a	Remigius.	Leo	22	11	D	
2	b	Sund. af. Tr.	Virgo	4	12	F	
3	c	Candide	Air.	17	13	T	New Moon the
4	d	Francis	Libra	6	14	G	5 day, about 4 o
5	e	Apollinar.	Libra	14	15	A	the clock in the
6	f	Fayth vir.	Libra	28	16	B	morning.
7	g	Marcel.	Scor.	11	17	C	
8	a	Helagius.	Scor.	26	18	D	First quarter the
9	b	19 Jun. af. Tri.	Sagit.	10	19	F	12 day, 30 min.
10	c	Gedeon	Sagit.	24	20	T	after 10 of the
11	d	Burchad.	Capr.	9	21	G	clock at night.
12	e	Celman.	Capr.	23	22	A	
13	f	Sol in Scor.	Aquar.	7	23	B	Full Moon the
14	g	Callix.	Aquar.	21	24	C	20 day, about 3
15	a	Wolfron.	Pisces	5	25	D	of the clock in
16	b	17 Jun. af. Tri.	Pisces	18	26	F	the morning.
17	c	Ethebyed	Aries	2	27	T	
18	d	Luke Evan.	Aries	15	28	G	Simon & Jude,
19	e	Stolomens.	Aries	28	29	A	
20	f	Agnes Wicha.	Taur.	11	30	B	
21	g	Arula.	Taur.	29	31	C	
22	a	Cordula	Gem.	6	1	D	Novemb. 1619.
23	b	1 Jun. af. Tri	Gem.	18	2	F	
24	c	Terre begin	Cancer	1	3	T	
25	d	Trif. & Crisp.	Canc.	12	4	G	
26	e	Amundus	Canc.	24	5	A	Last quarter the
27	f	Wense Wic.	Leo	7	6	B	17 day, about 11
28	g	Simon & Jude.	Leo	18	7	C	of the clocke at
29	a	Bernard.	Virgo	3	8	D	night.
30	b	22 Jun. af. Tri.	Air.	11	9	F	
31	c	Quintin	Air.	25	10	T	

November hath xxx dayes.

If Rheumes doe now molest thy head,
It is not ill to sweat in bed :
Feed on good meates, if stomacke serve,
Else seeke for that which doth preserve.

1	d	All Saines	Libz.	8	11	g	
2	e	All Saines	Libza	22	1.	a	
3	f	Craſt. Anim.	Scorpio	6	13	b	
4	g	Imantius.	Scop.	21	14	c	New moone the
5	a	Powd. Treaf.	Sagitt.	5	15	d	4 day, 37 min.
6	b	23 sun. aft. Tr.	Sagitta.	20	16	e	after 2 of the
7	c	florentius	Capric.	4	17	f	clock after noon.
8	d	Crowned.	Capp.	19	18	g	
9	e	Theodora.	Aquar.	3	19	a	First quarter the
10	f	Triphon	Aquar.	18	20	b	11 day, 37 min.
11	g	Martin biſh.	Pisces	2	21	c	after 6 of the
12	a	Sol in Sag.	Pisces	15	22	d	clocke in the
13	b	24 sun. aft. Tr.	Pisc.	29	23	e	morning.
14	c	Frederick	Aries	12	24	f	
15	d	Leopoldus.	Aries	25	25	g	Full Moone the
16	e	Edmund.	Taurus	7	26	a	18 day, 6 min. aft.
17	f	Hugh Biſh.	Taur.	20	27	b	8 of the clock at
18	g	Pa. Mar.	Gem.	2	28	c	night.
19	a	Elizabeth	Gem.	14	29	d	
20	b	25 sun. aft. Tri.	Gem.	26	30	e	Andrew Apoſtle.
21	c	Edmund Bi.	Cancer.	6	1	f	Decemb. 1659.
22	d	Cecily Vir.	Can.	20	2	g	
23	e	Clement Bi.	Leo	3	3	a	
24	f	Chryſogon.	Leo	14	4	b	
25	g	Quind. Ma.	Leo	26	5	c	Last quarter the
26	a	Linus Mar.	Virgo	8	6	d	27 day, 10 min.
27	b	Advent Sun.	Virgo	20	7	e	before one of the
28	c	Terme ends	Libza	3	8	f	clocke in the
29	d	Wed go out.	Libza	16	9	g	morning.
30	e	Andrew Apo.	Scor.	0	10	a	

December hath xxxi dayes.

Now cold December is come in,
And poore Mans backe is clothed thin:
Feed and clothe them as ye may,
The Lord will it threefold repay.

1	f	Wed go out	Scor.	14	11	b	New Moon the
2	g	Candlar.	Scor.	28	12	c	4 day, 50 min
3	a	Barbara.	Sagit.	13	13	d	after 1 of the
4	b	2 Sun. in Adv.	Sagit.	28	14	e	clocke in the
5	c	Sabba Abb.	Capr.	13	15	f	forenoon.
6	d	Michel Bish.	Capr.	28	16	g	First quarter the
7	e	Ambrose	Aquar.	13	17	a	10 day, 28 min
8	f	Conc. of Ma	Aquar.	28	18	b	after 5 of the
9	g	Joachim.	Pisc.	12	19	c	clocke at night.
10	a	Eulalie,	Pisc.	25	20	d	Full moone the
11	b	Sol in Capri.	Bries	8	21	e	18 day, 12 min
12	c	Paul Conf.	Bries	22	22	f	aft. 3 of the clock
13	d	Luctan vir.	Caur.	4	23	g	in the afternoon
14	e	Ember week.	Caur.	16	24	a	
15	f	Makrian	Caur.	29	25	b	Christmas day.
16	g	D sapientia.	Gem.	11	26	c	Stephen Mar.
17	a	Lazarus.	Gem.	23	27	d	John Evang.
18	b	4 Sun. in Adv.	Cancer	5	28	e	Innocents day.
19	c	Clement con.	Cancr.	17	29	f	
20	d	Julius.	Cancer	29	30	g	
21	e	Thomas Ap.	Leo	11	31	a	
22	f	Theodore.	Leo	23	1	b	January. 1660.
23	g	Alidox vir.	Virgo	5	2	c	
24	a	Adam & Eve	Vir.	17	3	d	
25	b	Chr. day.	Virgo	29	4	e	Last quarter the
26	c	Steven.	Libra.	12	5	f	26 day, 22 m. aft
27	d	Iohn.	Lib.	25	6	g	aft. 5 of the clock
28	e	Innocents.	Scor.	8	7	a	at night.
29	f	Tho. Becket.	Scor.	22	8	b	
30	g	David	Sagit.	6	9	c	
31	a	Wilbader.	Sag.	21	10	d	

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A PROGNOSTICATION,

Serving for the yeare of our

Lord God and Saviour

JESVS CHRIST

1659.

Wherein you may observe the

grounds of the alteration and condition

of the Foure Quarters of this yeare: As

also the disposition of the Aire, for each severall

Moneth, according to the inclination

of the Cœlestiall bodies, with the change of the

Moone, her full, and Quarters, and the time

of the Eclipses, with other things fit to

be known and observed.

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of *Norwich*, and may serve generally

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**Briefe and necessary Rule, for the
beginning and ending of the foure
Termes, with their Returnes,**

Hillary Terme begins Ianuary 23 and endeth Febr.
13 and hath foure Returnes.

Oftab. Hilar. Ianu. 20 } } Craft. Purif. Febr. 3.
Quind. Hilar. Ianu. 27 } } Oftab. Purif. Feb. 10;

after Terme begins 17 dayes after Easter, and ends
the munday after Ascension day, and hath five
Returnes.

Quind Pasch. Aprill 18. } } Quinq; Pasch. May 9.
Tres Pasch. Aprill 25. } } Craft. Ascen. May 13.
Mense. Pasch. May 2. } }

Trinity Terme begins the Friday after Trinity Sun-
day, and ends the wednesday fortnight after, and
hath foure Returnes.

Craft. Trin. May 30. } } Quind. Trin. Iune 13.
Oftab. Trin. Iune 6. } } Tres Trin. Iune 20.

Michaelmas Terme begins October 23 and endeth
the 28 of November, and hath fixe Returns.

Tres Mich. Octob. 20. } } Craft. Mart. Novem. 12
Mense. Mich. Octob. 27. } } Oftab. Mart. Nove. 18
Craft. Anim. Novem. 3. } } Quind. Mart. Nove. 25

Note that the Exchequer openeth 8. dayes before
any Terme begins, except Trinity Terme, in which
it openeth only foure dayes before.

On these dayes following, the Judges
sit not at Westminster.

In { Hillary
Easter
Trinity
Michael. } Terme, on { Candlemas
Ascension
Midsūmer
Alholland } Day.

A most plaine and easie table, shewing the
time of the beginning, continuance, and yeares of
the Reign of each King and Queen, in England
the Conquest, untill this year 1659. collected
forth of Chronicles, and set forth for the
profitable use of Lawyers, Scri-
veners, &c.

The Kings Names.	Began their Reign.	Reigned yeares. n.o. da.	Since Reign.
W. Conqu.	1066. Oct. 15	10.y. 11.m. 22.d	593. Sep.
W. Rufus.	1087 Sep. 9	12.y. 11.m. 19.d	572. Aug.
Henry 1.	1100 August 1	25. y. 4. m. 1.d	559. Dec.
Stephen.	1135 Decem. 2	18.y. 11.m. 18.d	524. Oct.
Henry 2	1154 Oct. 25	34. y. 9. m. 1.d	505. July
Richard 1	1189 July 6	9. y. 9. m. 0.d	470. Apr.
King John	1199 Aprill 6	17. y. 7. m. 0.d	460. Oct.
Henry 3	1216 Octo. 19	56.y. 1. m. 0.d	443. Nov.
Edward 1	1272 Nov. 16	34. y. 8. m. 6.d	387. July
Edward 2	1307 July 7	19. 7. m. 5. d	352. Jan.
Edward 3	1326 Janu. 25	50. y. 5. m. 7.d	333. June
Richard 2	1377 June 21	22. y. 3. m. 14.d	282. Sep.
Henry 4	1399 Sept. 29	13. y. 6. m. 3.d	260. Mar.
Henry 5	1412 March 20	9. v. 5. m. 24.d	247. Aug.
Henry 6	1422 Aug. 31	38. y. 6. m. 8.d	237. Mar.
Edward 4	1460 March 4	22.y. 1.m. 8.d	199. Apr.
Edward 5	1483 April 9	0.y. 2. m. 18. d	176. Jan.
Richard 3	1483 June 22	2. y. 2. m. 5. d	176. Aug.
Henry 7	1485 Aug. 22	23.y. 10.m. 2.d	174. Aug.
Henry 8	1509 April 22	37.y. 10.m. 2.d	150. Apr.
Edward 6	1547 Janu. 28	6.y. 5. m. 19.d	113. July
Queen Ma.	1553 I ly 6	5.v. 4. m. 22. d	106. Nov.
Queen Eliz	1558 Nov. 17	44.y. 4.m. 16.d	101. Mar.
King Jam.	1602 Mar. 24	22. y. 0. m. 3.d	57. Mar.
King Char.	1625 Mar 27	24.v. 10.m. 3.d	24. Jan.

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of all the Eclipses which shall
happen this present yeare of
our Lord God 1659.

These Eclipses of the Lunaries may this yeare be
apparently seen, whereof two of the Moone and
of the Sun shall be presented unto us in this our
Kingdom of England, if the weather be faire & cleare :
Another Eclipse of the Sun shall be manifested
unto people in severall Countreies farre distant from
whence they shall after be noted.

Of the first Eclipse of the Moone.

Upon the 16. of Aprill being Tuesday, according to
our English computation, shall sensibly or visibly
present unto us a particke Eclipse of the Moone, at
8. of the clock : the beginning will be between
7. of the clock at night, and the end will be
between 9. and 10. of the clock : the time of this E-
clipse from the beginning to the midst thereof - dis-
tinctly termed the time of incidence, which will be one
hour and 37. min. The whole continuance of the
eclipse from the beginning to the ending thereof,
will be 3. houres and 14. min. The degrees eclipsed
will be 8. and 19. minutes.

Of the second Eclipse of the Moone.

There shall be presented unto our sight, another
particke Eclipse of the Moone, in our West-
minster upon the 10. of October, about 3. of the clock in
the morning, the Moone being at that instant, diamet-
rally opposite to the Sun, neere Cauda Draconis-
signe of the Earthly Triplexity, cold and dry, fe-
meridional, fixed, the house of Venus, and her
and the detriment of Mars. The degrees Eclip-
sed will be 8. 19. min. The time of incidence, will be one
hour and 37. min. The totall duration of this obscurity,
will be 3. houres and 14. minutes.

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The third Eclipse of the Sun.

UPon the 4th of November being Friday, according to our Julian or English yeare, shall be a great partiale Eclipse of the Sunne, about one houre after three of the clock in the afternoon. The Sun and Moon being both of them conjuncted in the second face of Scorpio, not far from Caput Scorpionis, in a signe of the watery Triplicity, and cold and moist, of complexion flegmatick, the eclipsed are 7. 32. min. the time of incidence is one houre, the beginning of the Eclipse, is between 1 and 2 of the clock, and the middle between 2 and 3 of the clock, and at the Sunnes setting her is still eclipsed with light.

Of the fourth Eclipse of the Sun.

This fourth Eclipse of the Sun being in our Horizon, is omitted and not taken in place happening the 11 day of May, being between 4 of the clock in the morning. This Eclipse is removed from our Meridian about 6 houres in Longitude of 335 deg. and 55 min. the 21 degrees of South Latitude which belongs to the people in Brasilia, and to the Inhabitants of the occidental parts of Americana, the whole continuance of this obsury from the beginning to the end is 4 houres and 13 min.

The great conjunctions of great Starrs.

The Eclipse of Sun and Moon :

Doth threat great death, great Dearth and

If we repent not soon.

Now God above, and wrath above,

And Heaven above relent :

And man beneath, and sin beneath,

And earth beneath Repent.



Some briefe Rules for Husban- dry and Gardening.

The best time to sow all kind of coꝛne, is when the Moone is in Cancer.

The best time to plant and graft, is in the increase of the Moone, the being in Taurus, Virgo, or Capricornus.

Remove and set young trees from October till February, in the first quarter of the Moone, they being in Taurus or Capricornus.

Crop trees and fell wood, that the stock may the better and sooner grow again, when the Moone is in the first quarter.

Fell timber in December and Ianuary, in the old of the Moone is best: but if you would have it grow again, cut it down in the new of the Moone.

The best time to cut Vines, is in the end of Ianuary, in February, and in the beginning of March, the Moone increasing in Taurus, Virgo or Capricornus.

Cut hedges between the change and full, from the end of Ianuary, till the beginning of Iune.

Set and sow all kind of seeds, the moon being in Aries, Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Libra, Capricornus, Aquarius, or Pisces: But the seeds whose roots be round, must be sown three or four daies before or after the full moon.

Gather all manner of fruits, near the full Moone, in a dry time, gather flowers, and seeds for store, at the full of the Moone.

Sell cattell, the Moone being in Aries, Sagittarius, or Capricornus: Sheare sheep, cut hair that it may the sooner grow again: the Moone increasing, that is from the change to the full.

To muck your land that weeds may not abound, is best in the last quarter of the Moone.

A fit time to kill fat swine is in the increase, nigh the

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the full of the Moon, the land will the better be
the haying.

Destroy wenns, warts, and Cornes &c. in the
quarter of the Moon.

Brief Rules and necessary O servations concerning Bleeding

Bathing, Purging, and sweating, ac
ording to the motions of
the Moon.

Of bleeding.

When the weather is extreame hot or cold, is
not then convenient either to let blood
purge, unless some great necessity require it: yet
withstanding if this blood-letting be for the Phlegme
the Apoplexie, for a continuall headach,
ceeding of Choler or blood, or any hot burning
or other extreame pain, a man in such a cause, may
stay for a chosen time, because the patient might
cary in the mean season, but in this aforesaid case
extremity, blood is not to be let in such a quantity
as otherwise it would, if a chosen time might be
veniently expected.

The best time to let the Phlegmatick blood,
when the moon is in Aries, or Sagittarius, the head
thighs excepted.

For melancholy, the moon being in Libra, or Aquarius,
the buttocks and legs excepted.

For the Cholerick, the moon being in Cancer,
pio, or Pisces, the breast and feet excepted.

For the Sanguine, all be good which before is
med.

In the spring time let blood at the right side.
In harvest time, let blood on the left side.

Of Bathing.

Bathing is commonly used rather for pleasure then for profit, especially where hot houses are overmuch haunted, but I intend not to speak of them otherwise then to aduertise those that tender their own health, to be wary and circumspect in resorting unto them, without cause, and immediately after of with such persons, as be unclean.

Know it is not good to Bath, the moon being in earthly signes, as in Taurus, Virgo, or Capricornus, the reason is, because they are of a cold nature; and the nature of cold, is to restrain and bind: and so the Moon being in these signes, the pores of the body are closed and shut: So there can be no resolution of humours and superfluities, which by bathing ought to be abolished.

But in fiery signes, when the moon is in Aries, Leo, or Sagitarius, then it is a good time for bathing, for then the body is apt to resolution: for it is the nature of heat, to open and resolve.

It is best bathing two or three daies after the change, and at the full of the moon, for then the superfluities are ripe and ready to be abated, and disposed to flow and issue out, which indeed is the true use of bathing.

If any will enter the Bath for cleannesse sake, let the moon be in Libra or Pisces.

Furthermore if bathing be used for health, let the party grieued learne of the wise Physician, whether his sickness had need of moistning or drying; for if it require moistning, as in Pchisis, and such like, then let him bath in watry signes, having good aspect with Iupiter or Venus, But if the sickness require drying, as in Paralysis, and the like, then let him bath, the Moon being in fiery signes, having good aspects with Mars and the Sun.

Also before you enter into any bath, your body must be first prepared and purged, for if you go in unprepared, peradventure you may be worse than before.

The best time of the year to bath is in the Spring, and in Harvest, & in the months of May and September.

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The best time of the day to go into the bath is an hour after the sun rising at the least, alwaies provided that you walk either an hour, or half an hour before, and have a stool either by nature or art: you must cover your head well, so long as you be in the bath, and beware you drink not cold drink, although you be thirsty, but forbear all things that be cold, lest when you are hot within, cold strike suddenly into some principall member and hurt you.

The time of tarrying in the bath is commonly an hour, but it may be more or lesse, according to the nature of the bath, or sickness of the party, at the discretion of the wise Physician.

For purging.

In purging these five things ought to be known.	}	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 } The humour which aboundeth 2 } The best way to avoid it. 3 } The strength of the person. 4 } The manner of the sickness. 5 } The force & nature of the medicine.
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For when these things are not considered and observed, many pernicious accidents may follow, and greatly hurt the body.

Good signes generally for purging, are Cancer, Scorpio, and Pisces, particularly with potions or drinks, the Moon being in Scorpio.

Purge with Electuaries, the Moon being in Cancer, purge with Pills the moon being in Pisces.

Take preparatives, the moon being in Gemini, Libra, or Aquarius.

Take vomits, the moon being in Aries, Cancer, or Capricornus.

Take Glisters, the moon being in Libra or Scorpio.

To provoke Sweatings, the moon being in Cancer, Leo, or Libra.

To stop Fluxes, Rheumes, and Laxes, the moon being in Taurus, Virgo, or Capricornus.

Good to comfort the vertue Attractive, the moon being in Aries, Leo, or Sagittarius.

Good to comfort the vertue Digestive: the moon being in Gemini, Libra, or Aquarius.

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Good to comfort the vertue retentive, the moon being in Taurus, Virgo, or Capricornus.

Good to comfort the vertue Expulsive, the moon being in Cancer, Scorpio, or Pisces.

For using of Unguents, or plasters, they are best to be applyed and used, when the moon is in that member or signe which governeth that part of the body, to which it is applyable.

For sweatings.

Sweatings as they are of two sorts, that is to say, naturall and artificiall, so they are used for two ends and purposes: the Naturall sweat, if good beeb taken in opening of the pores, will dissolve grosse and thick humours, will cleanse the blood, will comfort the spirits, will put away cold, will consume rancid humours, qualifie and quench raging fevers, will help humneste, and the dropsie.

The Artificiall sweat will cleanse scabs, put away itch, amend dulnesse in hearing, ease the stone, resolve congealed and cold humours, and melancholly blood.

But for the better performing and effectuall working of these causes, the Counsell of the learned Physician is to be desired and used.

The best or meetest signes to sweat in, are Aries, Leo, and Sagittarius, and that two or threer daies after the Change, and at the full moon.

And note that sweating is better to be done, in the evening then in the morning: for when the body hath nourishment within, the spirits shall not so easily be drawn forth to the extreame parts.

Note further, that lean folks, and dry or feeble persons, must sweat litle, for it will hurt them much: but fat folks, may sweat well, and it will do them much good.

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A brief Description of the four Quarters of
this present year of our Lord God. 1659.

OF Winter.

Winter which is the chiefest foe to the Spring, (the disgrace of Summer, and the deep devourer of the fruitfull harvest) began to take his effects, according to our usuall computation, on the 11. of December in the year afore-going, at the entrance of the Sun, into the first minute of the signe Capricornus, at which time the Sun shall be at his greatest South declination, from the Equinoctiall line, so that he riseth South-East, and setteth South-West.

Now is the Hyemal or winter Solstice, for the Sun is so far removed from our Zenith or verticall point, that he cannot decline any further, & standeth at a stop or stay, and then is the shortest day and longest night in the year, and so this Quarter doth continue untill the 10 of March next following.

This season is by nature cold and moist, unpleasant for the most part to travellers either by Sea or Land, and unto aged persons it is very combous and noysome, causing superfluitie of rawnesse, and abundance of cold moistnesse to overflow their bodies, to their great troubles and disquietnesse.

The diseases and sicknesses, most like to afflict mens bodies this quarter, will be Rhumes, Coughs, Poles, quotidian Fevers, Gouts, Palsies, Fluxes, Cramps, Convulsions Epilypsies, Appoplexes, Colicks, raw undigested Humours, Hoarsenesse and many cold Distillations, into severall parts of the body.

Thus will the stars if God assent,
Whose power alone can all prevent.

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Of the Spring.

The Sun (which is the eye of the world, the fountain of light, and the chiefe moderator of all the rest of the lights) hath like a Gyant run his race, and finished his revolution (Gradatim) throughout the 12 signes, and now this 10 of March beginneth his journey afresh again, and goeth an even course, and so becomes an indifferent Arbitrer, between the day and night, and maketh an Equality throughout his whole government, to the great joy and comfort of all his reviv'd Subjects, chearing with his splendent countenance, the poor weather-worn weeds of this our dark starre of mortality (which the darkned Countenance of winters extremity, had almost subdu'd) with his excellent presence, whereat the earth begins to smile, and to put on her new apparell, the flourishing Libery of fresh Flora.

This season is by nature hot & moist, the most temperate time of the year, and the least breeder of sickness that doth procure death; and a very convenient time for the removing of sickness and griefes gotten before, and also to avoid and prevent those that are to come: for now the dul senses and spirits of man and other creatures are quickned and revived, and therefore the humours which do abound, and are readiest to oppress nature, are fit to be emptied and avoided whether by blood letting, purging, or otherwise, as the learned Physician shall advise, and as the cause of the disease shall require: such therefore as be diseased, let them not neglect this time.

Sundry sorts of Sickneses, and infirmities are subiect to this quarter, as Tertians, and unconstant fevers, obstructions in severall parts, Jaundies, Swellings, hot Impostumes, Squinnancies, bleeding at the Nose, with Puskes, Boyles, small Pox, Tetters paine in the head and eyes, Vesels, Kings-evil, Pe-silent fevers, and many other diseases which may proceed of the corruption of the blood.

Infections from the starrs may fall,
But one above doth stay them all.

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Of Summer.

Summer the third part of our vulgar year, according to our usuall computation: Now when the Sun hath fully determined the Spring, with his last Orb of Gemini, and moved in his motion, to the highest point of his course, namely to the first entrance of Cancer, which shall be this year the 11. of June. This is the second Solstice of the year, called the Festival or Summer Solstice: for even as the Sun, when he reacheth Capricornus, hath his greatest South declination from the Equinoctiall: So now at his ingress into to the beginning of Cancer, he hath his greatest declination toward the North from the said Equinoctiall line: and even as at that time of the winter Solstice, he was so far removed from our verticall point, that he could move no further towards the South, and was therefore to approach again towards our North latitude, at which time he seemeth to stand: So now being come so near to our Zenith that he cannot remove no further towards the North, and is therefore to revert again to the South Latitude. At the first going from us he seemeth also to stand, insomuch that even as before at his return toward us again, he made with us the shortest day and longest night in the year: So now at his return from us, he maketh with us contrariwise, the longest day and shortest night in the year: afterwards declineth more and more from us, like as before he moved more and more towards us.

This season according to his proper nature, is for drying and purging the humours of mens bodies, taking away the hotness and dryness, resembling the element of fire, and complexion of Choler, bringing all fruits to their ripeness, cattle to their fatness, and men to their wealth.

The infirmities likely to molest and trouble us in this quarter are according to the judgements of Physicrites and other learned writers of Physicke, are burning Fevers, Phrenzies, Inflammations, Pleurisy,

Stiffes, impostumes of the lungs, Sharpnesse of Urine
Strangury, Ulceration of the blood, Spotted Fevers,
effluent Fevers, heat of bloud, and choller.

Though Starrs incline to work us ill,
All shall be as the Maker will.

Of Autumne.

An Autumn, according to our accustomed computation,
the last quarter of the year beginneth at the Sun's
departure, from the last scruple of Virgo, into the
first entrance of the second Equinoctiall signe Libra,
the which will be this year, on the 13. day of Septem-
ber, the day and night being of an equall length, as in
the Spring: at which time is the Autumnall Equi-
noctiall, for even at the Sun's entrance into Aries, the
day increasing from the Winter Solstice, till then
time to be equall with the night, going on still more
and more till the Summer Solstice, when was the
longest day and shortest night: So now the night by
increasing from the Estivall Solstice, to the Sunnes
ingredience into Libra, hath got to be equall with the
day, and shall increase more and more, till the Bru-
is all Solstice come againe, when the night is longest,
and the day shortest.

This time of the yeare is of it selfe unconstant, and
variable, warme in the day time, and cold in the night.

This quarter because of the inequality of tempe-
rature, may as Hippocrates saith, be called the mother of
most of deadly sicknesses.

And also Galen saith, that this time of the yeare, is
very dangerous for taking sicknesses.

The bodily sicknesses and diseases, commonly atten-
ding this time of the yeare, are many as the Stone,
in the Back and Reines with stopping, and
expelling of Urine, much Joynt aches, Sciatickes,
and Gouts, Many quartaine Fevers, vertigoes Ap-
oplexies, Palles, Lethargies, Convulsions, Cramp
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Hemorrhoids, Fistulaes, tenesmus, dysenteria, and
 es, Melancholly distraction, and Madnesse, con-
 nesse and obstruction of the Spleen, and such diseases
 as may proceed of grosse phlegme, and Melancholly

Thus every Planet in his kinde,
 Is to performe the Almightyes minde.

A Declaration of the inclination,
 disposition of the Winds and weather,
 according to the severall motions, configurati-
 on and influences of the erraticall and fixed stars
 with the day, houre and minute of the change
 of the Moone, her full, and quarters: And
 so the rising and setting of the Sunne in the
 seventh day of every moneth of this present
 yeare of our Lord God 1659.

Of January.

Day.	<i>The sun riseth.</i>	<i>The sun setteth.</i>
1.	houre. 8. and 3. min.	houre 3. and 57. min.
7.	houre. 7. and 56. min.	houre 4. and 4. min.
14.	houre. 7. and 46. min.	houre 4. and 14. min.
21.	houre. 7. and 34. min.	houre 4. and 26. min.
28.	houre. 7. and 23. min.	houre 4. and 37. min.

Last quarter the 16 day 34. min. after 5. of the clock
 the morning, stormy winery weather.

New Moon the 12. day 14. min. after 8. of the clock,
 night, windy and unconstant.

First quarter the 20 day. 50 min. after 5. of the clock
 the morning, inclined to snow or rathe.

Full moone the 28. day about 9. of the clock in
 forenoon, sitting the time of the yeare.

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In this moneth let not blood, neither use
 the physick, except great necessity constraines thee,
 beware of taking cold, for this moneth Rheuma
 Flegme, doe much increase: to fast long is hurtful
 but to drinke white-wine fasting is good and

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meat, use meates that are naturally hot moderately, and wear warme cloathes.

In worldly business, this moneth you may set all kind of common fruits trees, plants, as peares, piums, filbert, walnut, and such like, hawthorne, and all sorts of quicketts, or plants, are fittest to be generally lett, from the change to the first quarter.

Take away mosse and superfluous branches from your trees, and this moneth is good to set beanes, pease, parsnips, leeks, radish, garlike, turnips, and onions, if the weather prove mild, and the moone past the full, you may begin to graft at the end of this moneth, so as the moone be increasing in her light.

Good husbands also this moneth crop trees, fell timber, and geld cattell, such as are to be gelded, the state of the moone alwaies considered.

Of February.

Day. The sun riseth.

The sun setteth:

6.	houre 7. and 13. min.	{	houre 4. and 47. min.
7.	houre 7. and 4. min.	{	houre 4. and 56. min.
8.	houre 6. and 50. min.	{	houre 5. and 10. min.
9.	houre 6. and 34. min.	{	houre 5. and 26. min.
10.	houre 6. and 22. min.	{	houre 5. and 38. min.

Last quarter the 4. day 30. min. after 1. of the clock in the afternoon, some fall of raine.

New moon the 11 day 13. min. after 9. of the clock in the morning, raine and unconstant.

First quarter the 19. day 6. min. after 3. of the clock in the morning, frosty and seasonable.

Full Moone the 26. day 7. min. after 11. of the clock at night, cold and cloudy.

Februaries Abstract:

In this moneth all stmy sh, Colik and R'ce, and such illnes, that doe oppilate and stop the Liver and veines, or thicken the blood, are to be shewd as enemies to health, and also yet forbeare Physick, and letting of blood, except necessity do urge, and learned Counsell do advise you: beware now of taking Cold, for now are Agues apt to be taken, and it is very ill to take heates and afterwards sudden cold upon them.

Now is the most apt time to graft or plant, and to set all kind of trees and bushes, the wind and weather, & age of the Moone considered, Pease, Beanes, Hastings, Onions, Parsenips

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Barrenness, and such like, as in January, may very well be set in the wane of the Moon.

The time is now to trim up Gardens, to set and sow all kind of Kitchen Herbs, to set slips, sow kernels, mustard seeds, oats, set hops, cut vines, and proyn them, stick your Roundball Bease and Hastings.

Of March.

Day.	Sun riseth.	Sun setteth.
1.	houre 6. and 10. min.	houre 5. and 40. min.
7.	houre 6. and 8. min.	houre 5. and 52. min.
14.	houre 5. and 54. min.	houre 6. and 56. min.
21.	houre 5. and 16. min.	houre 6. and 44. min.
28.	houre 5. and 22. min.	houre 6. and 38. min.

Last quarter the 5. day about 9 of the clock at night, reasonable good weather.

New Moone the 12 day 12. min. after 10. of the clock at night, inclined to moysture.

First quarter the 20 day 21. min. after 11. of the clock at night, some showers of raine.

Full moone the 28. day 36. min. after 10. of the clock in the forenoon, some storme to be expected.

Marches Abstract.

In this Moneth the humours of Mans body begin to increase, and now grow feeding breedeth gross blood and gross humours, and therefore use meates of good digestion, & such as breed good iuice: It is a good time to purge and clarify the blood by potions, bathing, and bloodletting, or such other waies as the learned Physician shall approve: and as the cause of the disease shall require: Also in this moneth sweetmeats and drinks are commendable.

The time of grafting as yet endureth, together with setting, sowing, proyning, plashing of Vines, and hedges, willow, oates, pease, onyons, parsnips, and such like.

Of Aprill.

Day.	The sun riseth.	The sun setteth.
1.	houre 5. and 18 min.	houre 6. and 42. min.
7.	houre 5. and 6. min.	houre 6. and 54. min.
14.	houre 4. and 54. min.	houre 7. and 6. min.
21.	houre 4. and 39. min.	houre 7. and 21. min.
28.	houre 4. and 29. min.	houre 7. and 31. min.

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Left quarter the 4. day 46. min. after 3. of the clock in the morning, windy and cloudy.

New moone the 11. day 35. min. after high noone, fle my and unconstant.

First quarter the 19. day, 45. min. after 4. of the clocke in afternoone, temperate.

Full Moon the 26. day neere about 8. of the clock at night, Aprill showers.

Aprils Abstract.

In this moneth of Aprill. the pores of mans body are open, and apt to receive Physick. and they that refuse the same, I commit them to the benefit of nature, for of all times of the yeare, this is the best time to prevent causes of sickness, or for speedy remedy in the remittes, for now nature doth renew strength through all the body: so where sickness layeth the load unburdeneth by means of Physick, wherefore what it cannot doe now, will hardly be done hereafter, therefore take time while time is, &c.

As yet you may graft and propne vines, and also set melons, citrons, cucumbers, artichokes, and pole-hops, sow barley, Tanners apply themselves to barking of trees.

Of May.

Day.	The sun riseth.	The sun setteth.
1.	houre 4. and 23. min.	houre 7. and 37. min.
7.	houre 4. and 15. min.	houre 7. and 45. min.
14.	houre 4. and 5. min.	houre 7. and 55. min.
21.	houre 3. and 56. min.	houre 8. and 4. min.
28.	houre 3. and 50. min.	houre 8. and 10. min.

Last quarter the 3 day, 49. min. after 10 of the clock in forenoon, faire weather.

New moone the 11. day, 45. min. after 3. of the clock in the morning, fitting the season.

First quarter the 19 day 47. min. after 6. of the clocke in the morning, inclined to wind.

Full Moone the 26. day, 31 min. after 3. of the clocke in the morning, seasonable and temperate.

Mayes Abstract.

In this moneth rise early, for May doth not love any slugs, and let such as bee in health and able walke into the fields, and eate and drinke betimes for it is good and wholesome, abstaine from all meates that be of a hot nature:

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And such as be sick, it is a very good time of the ye. to take blood, or to take Physick: such as bee whole, God keep them in health, and such as bee sick, God send them good Physicians and Physick.

The time is now fitting to sow Basil, Marjoram, and such fine seedes as before might not be sowne, because of the coldnesse of the weather. Set Sage according to the verbe, set Sage in May and it will last alway. Sow flax, hemp, set Artichokes, weede your Hays, and Gardens to your grates that no superfluous branches trouble them. May now, Rosemary flowers, and beane flowers, may for pleasure be distilled this month, and now also have care of watching your bees.

Of June.

Day.	The sun riseth.	The sun setteth.
1.	houre 3. and 49 min.	houre 8. and 11. min.
7.	houre 3. and 46 min.	houre 8. and 14. min.
14.	houre 3. and 47 min.	houre 8. and 13. min.
21.	houre 3. and 49 min.	houre 8. and 11. min.
28.	houre 3. and 52 min.	houre 8. and 8. min.

Last quarter the 1 day, 25. min. after 7. of the clock at night, overcasting clouds for raine.

New moon the 9. day 18. min. after 7. of the clock at night, fitting the season.

First quarter the 17 day, 49. min. after 5. of the clock in the afternoon, hot and faire.

Full Moone the 24. day, 26. min. after 10. of the clock in the forenoon, windy and unconstant.

Iunes Abstract.

In this moneth, if thou must needs use Physick, take early in the morning, that it may have wrought bene the heate of the day, and use a light and thin dyet, for the stomach is not able to digest as in winter, or in some of the former moneths, and it is very good and convenient for some to drinke clarified whey, boyled with cold herbs, to abstaine from violent exercise.

Distilling of saies, making of syrups and conserues, now in prime, now gather such herbs as you mean to keepe all the yeare, but be sure you dry them in the sun. Good husbands and huswives are now weeding their corn and gardens, & others shearing their sheepe, the time now to set rosemary, & gillyflowers, take heed of cutting hay.

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trees or herbs with knife, but rather gather them with
your fingers, now you may set saffron, carry out compost,
make hay, rid gardens of snayles, ants, or peccantes, &c.

Of July.

The sun riseth.

The sun setteth.

hour 3. and 54. min.	hour 8. and 6. min.
hour 3. and 59. min.	hour 8. and 1. min.
hour 4. and 7. min.	hour . and 59. min.
hour 4. and 20. min.	hour 7. and 40. min.
hour 4. and 30. min.	hour 7. and 30. min.

Last quarter the 1. day 44. min. after 6 of the clock in the
morning, suitable to the season.

New moon the 9. day 20. min. after 10. of the clock in the
morning, is clined to moisture.

First quarter the 17. day, 27. min. after 2. of the clock in the
morning, sultry and hot.

Full moone the 23. day. 24. min. after 5. of the clock in
the afternoon, faire and hot.

Last quarter the 30. day about 9. of the clock at night, an-
swerable to the season.

Julies Abstract.

In this moneth use cold hearbs & meates, abstaine from
physick, and naim the rivers are more wholesome then the
rivers, let the sun be up before you walke abroad, in the time
of pestillence or plague, keepe your chamber windowes
not opening them when the sun hath force of shining, and
be sure to perfume your chambers every morning with
fire upon a chaffindish of coales, then which nothing is
better, and use Cardus Benedictus, boyled and drunk fasting.
The best now calles slack husbands to worke, and such
as have treasure, it is good to sallow for wheat, & to carry out
wheat, & to gather seedes & flowers to keepe all the yeare, and
dry them in the shade, till they be almost dry, and then set
them a while in the sun. & in like manner you may use your
herbs.

Of August.

The sun riseth.

The sun setteth.

hour 4. and 36. min.	hour 7. and 24. min.
hour 4. and 48. min.	hour 7. and 12. min.
hour 5. and 0. min.	hour 7. and 0. min.
hour 5. and 16. min.	hour 6. and 44. min.
hour 5. and 27. min.	hour 6. and 33. min.

New Moone the 8. day 13. min. before 1. clock in the eve.
faire and windy.

First

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First quarter the 15. day, 35. min. after 9. of the clock in the forenoone, apt for the season.

Full moone the 22. day, 7. min after 2. of the clock in the evening, inclined to moyllure.

Last quarter the 29. day, 10. min. after 3. of the clock in the afternoon, faire weather.

Augusts Abstract.

In August, moderate dyet is good Physick, for it is dangerous to surfit, and take heede of heates and of colds, for nothing sooner ingendereth Diseases, and not to sleep much, especially in the afternoon, for much oppilations and for abolding of Agues and head-acheth, and now let a man abstaine from physick except necessity doe compell,

Now Lady Ceres looks to have men enough to her, they that would have good seedes for their garden next yeere, must now gather of their owne, least in doing they lose their labour and their money, and such as will to have lettuce, or other hearbs for winter, may sow in the increase of the moone.

Of September.

Day.	The sun riseth.	The sun setteth.
1.	houre 5. and 34. min.	houre 6. and 26. min.
7.	houre 5. and 46. min.	houre 6. and 14. min.
14.	houre 6. and 2. min.	houre 5. and 58. min.
21.	houre 6. and 14. min.	houre 5. and 46. min.
28.	houre 6. and 28. min.	houre 5. and 32. min.

New Moone the 4. day about 2. of the clock in the noon, cloudy weather.

First quarter the 11. day, 53. after 3. of the clock in the afternoon, answerable to the time.

Full moone the 20. day 53 min. after high noon, reasonable temperate.

Last quarter the 28. day 15. minutes after 9. of the clock in the forenoone, some fall of moyllure.

Septembers Abstract.

In this moneth such as have need, may safely take Physick, also may bath and bleede, in this moneth all things of their proper nature and vertue, and such fruits as are not infected, are good to eat for such as have good stomachs: Time is good to make conserve of Barbary Quinces, winter hearbs may now be sowne, likewise time to set Artichokes, Rose trees, Aple trees, and

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strawberries, violets gilliflowers; Apples are to bee gathered in the full of the moone, sow Marientips, and in dry weather gather your Hops; Good husbandry is sowing be and wheate, good huswifery is making of Cerveses, and plucking of Henpe.

Of October:

The sun riseth.

houre 6. and 34. min.
houre 6. and 46. min.
houre 7. and 0. min.
houre 7. and 15. min.
houre 7. and 26. min.

The sun setteth:

houre 5. and 26. min.
houre 5. and 14. min.
houre 5. and 0. min.
houre 4. and 45. min.
houre 4. and 34. min.

New Moone the 6. day about 4. of the clock in the morning, apt for the season.

First quarter the 12. day, 20. min. after 10. of the clock at night, windy and stormy.

Full moone the 20. day, about 3. of the clocke in the morning, cold and cloudy.

Last quarter the 27. day about 11. of the clock at night, inclined to moysture.

Octobers Abstract

In this moneth thou mayest take Physicke and also haue occasion serbe, use hot meates and drinks, and use good wholesome wines to nourish good blood, and beware of taking cold, because the quartaine Ague will be apt to be taken, and such other dangerous and ill diseases.

Remove young trees, as apples, peares, plumbs, quinces, &c. let pease, parsnips, &c. good husbands neede not be slothful in sowing of wheat, let nuts, acorns, and flintings. and being of such good husbandry.

Of November.

The sun riseth.

houre 7. and 33. min.
houre 7. and 42. min.
houre 7. and 52. min.
houre 8. and 3. min.
houre 8. and 9. min.

The sun setteth.

houre 4. and 27. min.
houre 4. and 18. min.
houre 4. and 8. min.
houre 3. and 57. min.
houre 3. and 51. min.

New moon the 4. day, 27. min. after 21. of clock in the morning, wet and raynie wather.

First quarter the 11. day, 37. min. after 6. of the clocke in the morning, moyst and unconstant.

Full moone the 18. day, 6. min. after 8. of the clock at night, frosty and cold.

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• Last quarter the 27. day 20. min. before one of the morning, sitting the season.

Novembers Abstract.

In November finish the physick you meane to take till March, except some great necessity doe comend. Use good meate, and hol some wine to nourish thy bodye thee warme cloathing and goe dry of thy feete, sure to be troubled with Rheume and Cough, be other inconvenience that will ensue. Beware of house this moneth, and use Betony and Cinamon.

In the new of the Moone, you may remove you as in the last moneth, and set Crabtree stocks when you please, it is good time in the wane of the set pease, and beanes, and if the weather be not good sowing of Parsenips, good making of maling of Beebes of swine.

Of December.

Day.	The sun riseth.	The sun setteth.
1.	houre 8. and 12. min.	houre 3. and 45.
7.	houre 8. and 14. min.	houre 3. and 45.
14.	houre 8. and 15. min.	houre 3. and 45.
21.	houre 8. and 12. min.	houre 3. and 45.
28.	houre 8. and 7. min.	houre 3. and 45.

New Moone the 4. day 30. min. after 1. of the morning, winterly weather.

First Quarter the 10. day, 28. min. after 5. of the night, some raine or snow.

Full Moone the 18. day 12. min. after 3. of the afternoon, moy and unconstant.

Last quarter the 26. day 22. min. after 5. of the night, cold and frosty.

Decembers Abstract.

In this moneth of December, keepe thy body and cold, and eat such meates as be of a hot qualitye from Physick, & let thy Kitchen be thy Apothecarye, cloth thy nurse, merry company thy keeper and pitality thy exercise.

Remove trees and bushes, if the weather please, in the wane of the moone, set beanes, those hearbs that cannot endure the cold, rober it away from the frost and snow.

Soli Sapienti Deo Sola Gloria.

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